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Trinidad during the week. No contagious diseases reported. Inspected 4 vessels during the week at that port.

*Santa Cruz del Sur*.—Dr. Juan R. Xiques reports no deaths in that port during the week. No contagious diseases reported. Inspected 8 vessels at that port during the week.

Respectfully,

F. E. TROTTER,  
*Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

The SURGEON-GENERAL,  
*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*

*Report of immigration at Cienfuegos, Cuba, during the week ended September 1, 1900.*

CIENFUEGOS, CUBA, *September 3, 1900.*

SIR: I herewith submit report of alien steerage passengers at this port during the week ended September 1, 1900: August 26, steamship *Saratoga*, from New York, with 1 French immigrant.

Respectfully,

F. E. TROTTER,  
*Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

[Cablegram.]

*Case of yellow fever at Cienfuegos.*

CIENFUEGOS, CUBA, *September 3, 1900.*

One case of yellow fever in lazaretto, this city. Patient arrived from Havana on August 31, where infection was received.

TROTTER,  
*Quarantine Officer.*

The SURGEON-GENERAL,  
*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*

*Report from Havana—Yellow fever on Spanish steamship Leon XIII from Vera Cruz—Yellow fever at Pinar del Rio and Quemados.*

HAVANA, CUBA, *September 3, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following report for the week ended September 1, 1900:

As will be seen from the inclosed mortality list there have been 23 deaths from yellow fever during the week, more than doubling the number of deaths from the disease, which occurred last week. While the infection is well scattered over the entire city the larger number of cases have occurred on the Prado and in sections of the city occupied by the wealthier class of citizens.

During the month construction work on the Havana electric car line has been under way, and extensive excavation and street grading has been performed. Whether the work necessitating the tearing up of the streets along the street car line at this time of the year is altogether responsible for the increased amount of sickness is hard to determine. It is certain that neither yellow fever nor malaria is confined to the section of the city in which this work is being done, and yet there has been considerable sickness among the laborers, most of whom are Spanish and American, who are engaged in this work.

The Spanish steamer *Leon XIII* arrived on the 25th from Vera Cruz. I boarded the vessel with Assistant Surgeons Berry and Giralte and was met at the gangway by the ship's doctor, who informed me that he had

2 men sick suffering from rheumatism. I examined the cases, 2 Italians, and found that they had yellow fever. They had been living in Vera Cruz five months; had been two days and a half on board; were both taken sick the same night, a little over twenty-four hours before arriving at Havana. I ordered both removed to Las Animas Hospital, where they are still under treatment. No other cases of yellow fever have been reported from Batabano.

I am informed unofficially that there are at least 15 cases in the town of Pinar del Rio and several among civilian attendants of the Army at Quemados.

Dr. Carroll, of the army medical board for the study of tropical diseases, sickened last Friday night with a severe type of the disease. He has been making autopsies lately.

Upon inspection of Company I, September 1, before going on board the transport *Rawlings*, sailing for New York, I found a soldier from Company M, First Regiment, ill, with a temperature of 101°. He had had yellow fever two weeks previously at Guanajay, arrived at Quemados two days before and reached the arsenal with this detachment same day. He was probably suffering with a relapse, was detained and removed to Cabanas.

I inclose mortality report for the week.

Respectfully,

A. H. GLENNAN,  
Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.,

Chief Quarantine Officer for the Island of Cuba.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,  
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

*Mortuary report for the week ended September 1, 1900.*

Bronchitis.....	4	Malaria.....	1
Enteritis .....	4	Pneumonia .....	5
Yellow fever.....	23	Arterial sclerosis.....	7
Typhoid fever.....	4	Tuberculosis .....	9
Pernicious malarial fever.....	7	Tetanus .....	6
Grippe.....	1	Uræmia.....	1
Meningitis....	13	Total deaths from all causes.....	124

*Report for week ended September 1, 1900.*

Passengers inspected.....	229	Number of applications for immune	
Passengers vaccinated .....	20	certificates rejected.....	22

OUT-DOOR DEPARTMENT.

Number of vessels disinfected.....	8	Vessels inspected and entered .....	31
Number of viveros disinfected.....	3	Vessels inspected and cleared.....	26
Pieces of baggage disinfected.....	502	Immigrants inspected .....	648

*Reports from Matanzas, Cardenas, Isabela de Sagua, and Caibarien.*

MATANZAS, CUBA, August 29, 1900.

SIR: I have the honor to submit herewith the following sanitary report of the quarantine district under my command during the week ended August 25, 1900:

*Matanzas.*—Fourteen deaths occurred in the city of Matanzas during the period covered by this report, showing a mortality of 16.13 per 1,000. The principal causes of deaths were as follows: Enteritis, 3; tuberculosis, 3; malaria, 3; broncho-pneumonia, 1; atresia, 1; other causes, 3. One case of infectious fever was reported during the week.